



# Water Efficient Landscape Ordinance Reporting Form

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1a	Is your agency adopting a single agency ordinance OR a regional agency alliance ordinance?	Single Agency Ordinance ▼
1b	Date of adoption OR anticipated adoption:	12/1/2015
2a	Reporting period:	
2b	December 1, 2015 through December 28, 2015 (all agencies)	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
2c	February 1, 2016 through February 28, 2016 (additional reporting period for agencies crafting regional ordinances with other agencies)	<input type="radio"/>
3a	Are you using:	the Model Water Efficient Landscape Ordinance (MWELo) ▼
3b	For agencies who have adopted a modified WELO	
3c	Is it at least as efficient as MWELo?	▼
3d	URL for your WELO	
3e	List major changes from the State's MWELo	
3f	If specific types of projects are exempt (other than those already specified in MWELo), state what they are and the sections of the ordinance that they are exempt from.	
3g	Have elements from other regulations been incorporated (e.g., tree shading percent coverage requirement, stormwater capture requirements).	▼
3h	If yes, describe:	
4	If other agencies are implementing the ordinance, explain their role:	N/A
5	Permitted projects subject to the ordinance during the reporting period (*e.g., single family residences, commercial projects, landscape retrofits for which permits were finalized during the reporting period, etc.):	N/A
6a	Total landscape area subject to the ordinance over the reporting period:	-
6b	Unit of Measure (sq. ft. or acres)	Square Feet ▼



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7a	During the reporting period, how many of the following types of projects did your agency issue final permits on:	
7b	new housing starts	-
7c	new commercial projects	-
7d	landscape retrofits	-
8	Describe the procedure for review of projects subject to the ordinance:	When plans for a new home, commercial building, or other structure are submit to this department the planners review the designs.
9a	Describe actions taken to verify compliance:	No project plans have been submitted for the reporting period, so no actions have been required.
9b	Is a plan check performed?	Yes <input type="button" value="▼"/>
9c	If so, by what entity?	Planners
10	Describe implementation and enforcement measures:	No project plans have been submitted for the reporting period, so no enforcement measures have been required.
11	Explain challenges to implementing and enforcing the ordinance:	No project plans have been submitted for the reporting period, so no enforcement measures have been required.
12	Describe educational and other needs to properly apply the ordinance:	
13	Additional Comments:	<p>Exerpt from Planning and Building Dept. Letter Dated 12/22/2015:  This letter is in response to correspondence received from your Department on November 23, 2015, regarding "Reporting on Implementation of Water Efficient Landscape Ordinances." Specifically, the letter from your Department informed Lassen County that the Model Water Efficient Landscape Ordinance (MWELo) had been updated (July 15, 2015) and that Local Agencies are required to either adopt the updated MWELo or, alternatively adopt their own local ordinance by December 31, 2015. The letter from your Department further requested that Local Agencies provide an initial status report, regarding implementation and enforcement, to the Department of Water Resources (DWR) by December 31, 2015. This letter and the completed DWR Excel spread sheet (attached), are intended to serve as the above referenced Local Agency status report for the December 1- 28, 2015, reporting period.</p> <p>The Lassen County Board of Supervisors met on January 26, 2010, and determined that Lassen County would not adopt an ordinance at that time (as stated in the attached February 2, 2010 letter to your Department) and therefore, by default, adopted the MWELo. Lassen County has no intention of adopting a Local Agency ordinance, and will continue to comply with all provisions of the MWELo, including the July 15, 2015, updates.</p>

[Please submit reports, including a copy of your local water efficient landscape ordinance, via email to \[WELO@water.ca.gov\]\(mailto:WELO@water.ca.gov\) by December 31, 2015. Agencies preparing a regional ordinance must submit an additional report by March 1, 2016. For questions, please call Ms. Julie Saare-Edmonds at \(916\) 651-9676.](#)